SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 815

By McNally

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Diane Caves of Oak Ridge.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the death of Diane Caves; and

WHEREAS, Diane Caves was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for her fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, a 1996 graduate of Oak Ridge High School, Mrs. Caves served with acumen and alacrity as a management and program analyst for the Centers of Disease Control and Prevention, in which position she earned the respect of her peers and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of her work; and

WHEREAS, while on temporary assignment in Haiti, Diane Caves lost her life when the 7.0 magnitude earthquake devastated the country in January; and

WHEREAS, Diane Caves was also deeply devoted to her family, and she always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, the beloved daughter of Lee and Linda Berry, Diane enjoyed the loving companionship of her husband, Jeff Caves; and

WHEREAS, Diane Caves leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Diane Caves, reflecting fondly upon her

impeccable character and her stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and

conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences

to the family of Mrs. Caves.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared

for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.